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Title: **METHOD AND**

APPARATUS FOR **OPTIMIZING SELECTION**

OF AVAILABLE CONTEXTS FOR PACKET PROCESSING IN MULTI-STREAM PACKET **PROCESSING**

AMENDMENT C

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of January 25, 2007, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.